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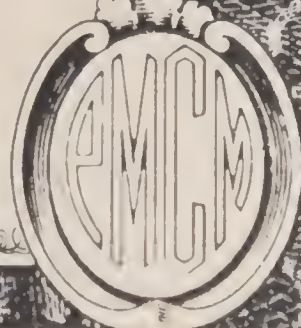
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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Many collectors, friends and dealers had a great time at The Sixth International Paper Money Convention in Memphis, Tennessee, which was held in June, although it was not as well attended as previous years.

Two areas that I was involved in were very successful, I am happy to say. The P.M.C.M. meeting held on Saturday, June 19 at 2 P.M. was well attended and our guest speaker, Dr. Glenn Jackson, had a very interesting slide program. A brief business meeting included the important subject of acquiring a new editor for The Rag Picker. This position has not been filled at this time, so if there is anyone willing to do the editing for The Rag Picker, please contact me. The Rag Picker has kept paper money collectors in touch with one another and I hope it will continue to do so.

Also, the exhibits were terrific at Memphis. Twenty-eight collectors with thirty-two exhibits from nineteen different states participated. Ninety cases were filled with notes and paper related items, and also many rarities were exhibited. I was happy that Memphis continues to draw top notch exhibits yearly.

Please vote. The nominees for officers and board members are listed in this issue of The Rag Picker.

Also please support P.M.C.M. by supporting dealers who advertise in The Rag Picker.

Best regards,  
Mart Delger

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### **\$10.00 SERIES 1977A "MULE" FOUND**

Tom Conklin (#554) of Rutherford, NJ has reported the first \$10 Series 1977A "mule". The note has serial G73084096C, face plate number 613, and back plate number 8. Tom's note was produced during the November 1981 BEP production, while the first Series 1981 \$10's weren't printed until March 1982. Therefore it is possible that \$10 mules will be found throughout the Nov., Dec., Jan., Feb. and Mar. production, when 1977A \$10's were printed.

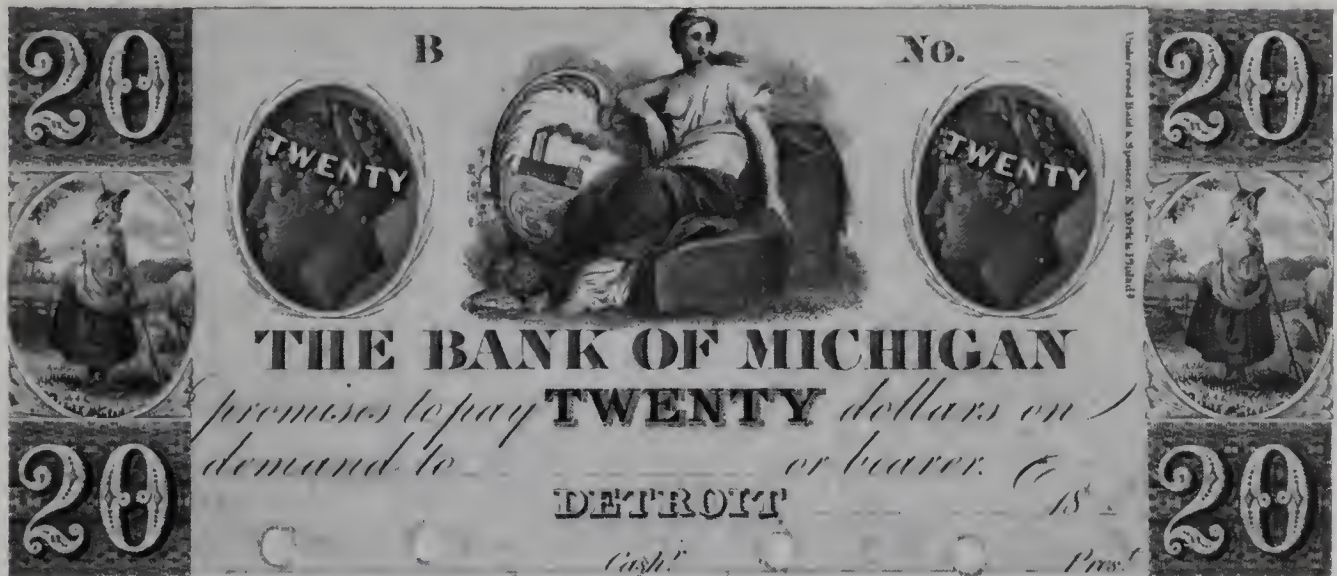
Tom also was the first to report the \$1 1977A mules (see pg. 13 Jan.-Mar. issue). These \$1 mules with back plate numbers 3, 4, 5, 6 are now known for three blocks: E/H, G/I and K/G.

No Series 1977A \$5 or Series 1977 \$20, \$50 and \$100 mules have yet been reported, but may exist. No 1977A or 1977 STAR note mules in any denominations have been reported, but would definitely be the rarest of the recent mules if they ever show up.

Send your reports of 1977A \$1, \$5, \$10 and 1977 \$20, \$50, \$100 mules to: Doug Murray, P.O. Box 2, Portage, Michigan 49081.



## ABOUT THE COVER ILLUSTRATION



### THE BANK OF MICHIGAN, DETROIT, MICHIGAN \$20.00 — B PROOF PRINTING

*By Charles A. Fenwick #1888*

The cover illustration note this month is a Michigan Obsolete Bank Note, a proof printing of the \$20.00-B (Bowen 34), The Bank of Michigan, Detroit. The engravers and printers were the Underwood, Bald & Spencer Company of New York and Philadelphia. This proof printing is printed on heavier stock than the thin bank note paper of the early 1800's, also note the four punch hole cancellations along the bottom. The regular issue \$20's have a rarity of 5 to 7 known. The central vignette is Commerce seated with a medallion head on each side. The right and left vignette are both the same, a woman with a pitch fork.

The Bank of Michigan was chartered on December 19, 1817 by the Michigan Territorial Governor and Judges. It was capitalized at \$100,000. In the report to the State of Michigan in 1838, The Bank of Michigan reported \$342,573 in currency in circulation. The bank president was John R. Williams and the cashier was James McCloskey. The offices of The Bank of Michigan were located in the old Detroit Bank Building, on the corner of Jefferson and Randolph Streets. The Bank of Michigan closed on January 10, 1842.

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## FROM YOUR EDITOR

Changing printers last issue wasn't without its problems. After sitting at the Post Office Saturday and Sunday due to insufficient postage, the last issue finally got out. The postage problem came about because the same size issue of 24 pages weighed 1/8 oz. more by the new printer. This put the issue a needle width over 2 ounces! As the envelopes were sealed, additional postage was the only solution.

Be sure and vote for the 1983-1984 Officers of PMCM. A ballot and ballot envelope are enclosed with this mailing. As I stated last issue, my wife's worsening case of Multiple Sclerosis has caused me to decide to relinquish the editorship. The Oct.-Dec. issue will be my last but I will be willing to assist the new editor in getting started with the Jan.-Mar. 1983 issue of The Rag Picker. Please consider the position of editor for our organization. You can do it.

BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING  
FEDERAL RESERVE NOTE PRODUCTION

All Federal Reserve Notes produced now are COPE serialed, blocks end at 99 840 000, and many of the stars are partial runs of less than the normal 640,000 note production unit. These partial runs have only occurred in the star notes, and because of the gaps in the serial range that this production technique causes, the number of notes actually produced is in parenthesis below the run.

APRIL 1982 BEP PRODUCTION

Series	From Serial	To Serial	Series	From Serial	To Serial
\$1.00 Federal Reserve Notes			\$10.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
1981	B26 880 001 C	B57 600 000 C	1977A	H02 576 001 ★	H03 200 000 ★
	E97 280 001 A	E99 840 000 A		(Partial run — 128,000 notes)	
	E00 000 001 B	E29 440 000 B	1981	C00 000 001 A	C16 640 000 A
	F71 680 001 B	F97 280 000 B		E00 000 001 A	C17 920 000 A
	F01 920 001 ★	F02 560 000 ★		H00 000 001 A	H11 520 000 A
	H21 760 001 A	H53 760 000 A		K00 000 001 A	K07 680 000 A
	H00 640 001 ★	H01 280 000 ★	\$20.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
	J55 040 001 A	J87 040 000 A	1981	C10 240 001 A	C21 760 000 A
	J00 640 001 ★	J01 280 000 ★		E47 360 001 A	E57 600 000 A
	K71 680 001 A	K99 840 000 A		G49 920 001 A	G60 160 000 A
	K00 000 001 B	K05 120 000 B		H10 240 001 A	H24 320 000 A
	K00 000 001 ★	K00 640 000 ★		H01 280 001 ★	H01 920 000 ★
\$5.00 Federal Reserve Notes				K00 000 001 A	K15 360 000 A
1981	B78 080 001 A	B92 160 000 A	\$50.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
	C11 520 001 A	C24 320 000 A	1981	B08 960 001 A	B16 640 000 A
	C00 000 001 ★	C00 640 000 ★		C00 000 001 A	C01 280 000 A
	E21 760 001 A	E35 840 000 A	\$100.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
	H00 000 001 A	H11 520 000 A	1981	B06 400 001 A	B11 520 000 A
	H00 012 001 ★	H00 640 000 ★		C00 000 001 A	C01 280 000 A
	(Partial run — 256,000 notes)				

The below serial numbers were used for uncut currency sheets that will be sold to the public. The serials 100 000 000 were printed as 00 000 000, and those sheets were removed and destroyed.

\$1.00 FRN's — 16 Subject		
1981	H99 840 001 A	H100 000 000 A
	H99 840 001 B	H100 000 000 B
		H99 840 001 C
		H99 840 001 D
		H100 000 000 C
		H100 000 000 D

UNCUT SHEET ORDERING INFORMATION

Prices for the three types of uncut currency sheets are as follows:  
\$1.00 16 note half sheet ..... \$28 by mail and \$20.75 at BEP  
\$1.00 32 note full sheet..... \$47 by mail and \$38 at BEP  
\$2.00 16 note star sheet ..... \$45 by mail and \$37 at BEP



# MAY 1982 BEP PRODUCTION

Series	From Serial	To Serial
<b>\$1.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1981	A56 320 001A	A80 640 000A
	A01 280 001★	A01 920 000★
	B57 600 001C	C72 960 000C
	B05 120 001★	B05 760 000★
	D62 720 001A	D90 880 000A
	D00 652 001★	D01 280 000★
	(Partial run — 256,000 notes)	
	G46 080 001B	G79 360 000B
	G01 920 001★	G02 560 000★
	I16 640 001A	I34 560 000A
	I00 652 001★	I01 280 000★
	(Partial run — 256,000 notes)	
	L40 960 001B	L48 640 000B
	L01 280 001★	L01 920 000★

<b>\$5.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1981	A15 360 001A	A21 760 000A
	B92 160 001A	B99 840 000A
	B00 000 001B	B03 840 000B
	D28 160 001A	D40 960 000A
	D00 016 001★	D00 640 000★
	(Partial run — 128,000 notes)	
	F35 840 001A	F46 080 000A
	F00 656 001★	F01 280 000★
	(Partial run — 128,000 notes)	
	G40 960 001A	G51 200 000A
	I00 000 001A	I11 520 000A
	I00 016 001★	I00 640 000★
	(Partial run — 128,000 notes)	
	L42 240 001A	L52 080 000A

Series	From Serial	To Serial
<b>\$10.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1981	A00 000 001A	A12 800 000A
	B19 200 001A	B34 560 000A
	B00 000 001★	B00 640 000★
	D00 000 001A	D08 960 000A
	I00 000 001A	I01 280 000A

<b>\$20.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1981	A20 480 001A	A30 720 000A
	D23 040 001A	D35 840 000A
	G60 160 001A	G72 960 000A
	L57 600 001A	L67 840 000A

<b>\$50.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1981	G12 800 001A	G20 480 000A
	I00 000 001A	I01 280 000A
	L00 000 001A	L06 400 000A
	L00 012 001★	L00 640 000★
	(Partial run — 256,000 notes)	

<b>\$100.00 Federal Reserve Notes</b>		
1977	G05 120 001★	G05 760 000★
	(Partial run — 256,000 notes)	
1981	G00 000 001A	G08 960 000A

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<b>\$1.00 FRN's — 32 Subject</b>			
1981	D99 840 001A	D100 000 000A	D99 840 001E
	D99 840 001B	D100 000 000B	D99 840 001F
	D99 840 001C	D100 000 000C	D99 840 001G
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The F.R.N. Exchange List has a new member to be included in our List. Ted Gozanski from Superior, Wisconsin has asked to be put in the District "I" (Minneapolis) position.

We could use another member from "A" (Boston), and also another from "I" (Minneapolis) District.

This exchange list is open to all members in good standing (dues must be paid) who would care to help their fellow members, as well as themselves, exchange current FRN's. If you would like to be added to this exchange list, drop me a card, or letter at the address listed above. DON'T WRITE TO THE EDITOR. This only delays your request and makes additional work for him.

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### JUNE 1982 BEP PRODUCTION

Series	From Serial	To Serial	Series	From Serial	To Serial
\$1.00 Federal Reserve Notes			\$10.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
1981	A80 640 001A	A99 840 000A	1981	B34 560 001A	B53 760 000A
	A00 000 001B	A02 560 000B		G14 080 001A	G28 160 000A
	A01 936 001★	A02 560 000★		G00 000 001★	G00 640 000★
	(Partial run — 128,000 notes)			L10 240 001A	L21 760 000A
	B72 960 001C	B99 840 000C	\$20.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
	B00 000 001D	B05 120 000D	1981	B52 480 001A	B71 680 000A
	E29 440 001B	E51 200 000B		B00 640 001★	B01 280 000★
	E01 920 001★	E02 560 000★		G72 960 001A	G89 600 000A
	J87 040 001A	J99 840 000A		G01 280 001★	G01 920 000★
	J00 000 001B	J19 200 000B		J25 600 001A	J34 560 000A
	J01 280 001★	J01 920 000★		L67 840 001A	L87 040 000A
	K05 120 001B	K38 400 000B		L01 280 001★	L01 920 000★
	K00 640 001★	K01 280 000★	\$100.00 Federal Reserve Notes		
	L48 640 001B	L87 040 000B	1981	B11 520 001A	B19 200 000A
\$5.00 Federal Reserve Notes					
1981	E35 840 001A	E46 080 000A			
	J20 480 001A	J29 440 000A			
	L52 480 001A	L69 120 000A			
	L01 288 001★	L01 920 000★			
	(Partial run — 384,000 notes)				

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**COMING EVENTS**

Holland, Michigan: Oct. 2, 1982, 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Holland Civic Center, 150 W. 8th Street; Holland, Michigan; Holland Coin Club Coin and Stamp Show; Al Nutile, Bourse Chairman; Box 233-B, Holland, Michigan, 49423.

# 72 YEARS OF STAR NOTES

*By Doug Murray #1492*

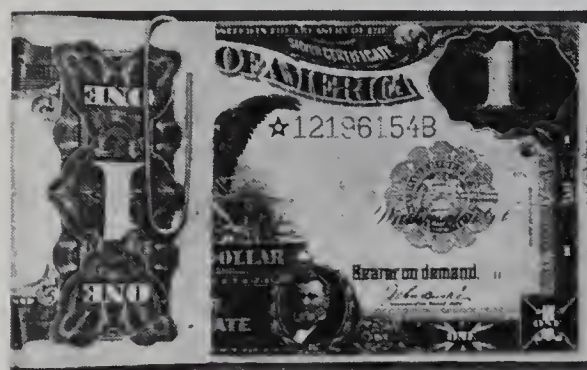
Star, or replacement notes, were first used in 1910, as a means of eliminating the troublesome duplicating of the spoiled sheets that occurred during the serialing of the U.S. Currency. That new 1910 approach allowed the spoiled sheet of 4 notes to be cut into individual notes, and then the unwanted note or notes were removed on an individual basis, with the new star notes being inserted in their place. Star notes have always had their own consecutive serial numbers, and do *not* duplicate the serial of the spoiled note except by sheerest coincidence.

Between 1885 and 1910 the Bureau of Engraving and Printing sent the serialized, but uncut, sheets of United States Notes, Silver Certificates and Gold Certificates to the Treasury Department, where the Treasury Seal was added. The sheets were then separated and bundled into packages of 4000 notes. This 4000 note package concept began in the late 1800's and continues to this day. Security was the reason given for this 25-year division of the work between the BEP and the Treasury Department. However, economics apparently later dictated the completion of the notes once again at the BEP, as production volumes were getting greater each year. So during 1910 the sealing and separating of the United States Notes, Silver Certificates and Gold Certificates returned to the BEP in conjunction with the use of newly completed and separated star notes. What this writer finds puzzling is what happened before 1910 when the Treasury Department spoiled a sheet during the sealing, or separating steps. As the unserialized stock was back at the BEP, either the Treasury sent back over for a make-up sheet, or else they reserialized an unserialized sheet themselves, which seems to undermine the purpose of the split work.

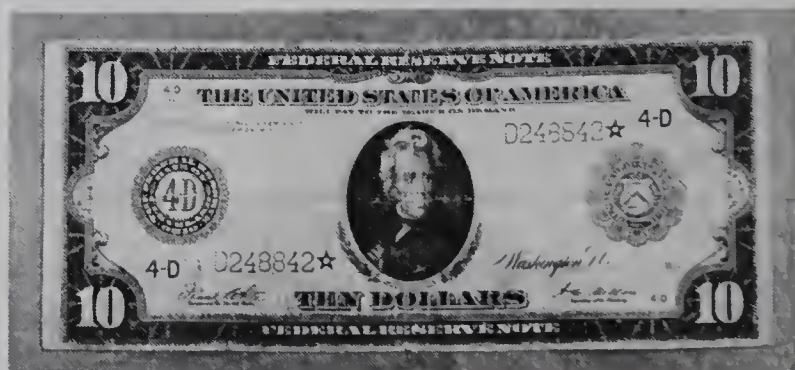
Anyway, star notes first appeared on the \$1 1899 Series Vernon-McClung (1909 to 1911) Silver Certificates starting with the late June 1910 production. Stars are also known for Vernon-McClung \$2 & \$5 Silver Certificates, \$5 & \$10 United States Notes, and \$10 Gold Certificates. \$20 Gold Certificates likely had Vernon-McClung stars, but none have been reported yet.

Star notes did not appear on the Federal Reserve Notes and Federal Reserve Bank Notes until 1918, when the tremendous increase in the production of these notes occurred due to World War I. During this time Gold Certificate production ceased and Silver Certificate production nosedived, due to the melting of Silver dollars due to the Pittman Act of 1918. Keeping the gold in the U.S. was the reason for the Gold Certificate curtailment.

The first \$50 and \$100 star notes were Federal Reserve Notes printed in 1920 on earlier signature stock. The \$100 FRN's have Burke-McAdoo stars

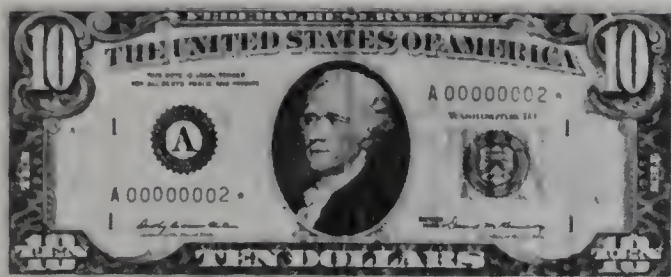


*Just five large size inverted obverse star notes are known.*

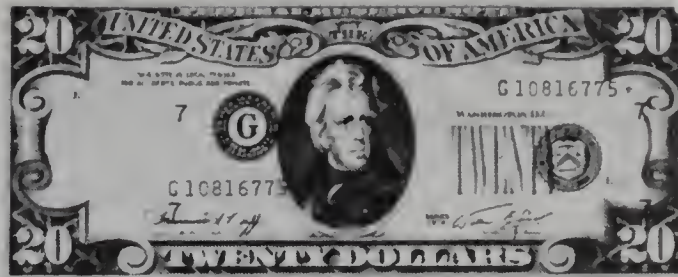


*Only one 6-digit large size radar star note is known. (No 7 or 8 digit yet reported).*





*This low numbered Boston star note was found circulating in Michigan.*



*Stars can have the same problems as the notes they are to replace.*

reported while the earliest \$50 star FRN is a Burke-Glass. Not all signature combinations of the \$1 to \$100 notes produced after 1910 have stars reported yet. All replacement notes 1910 - 1929 have a five pointed star with a hole in the center. Earlier notes with a solid star are not replacements (1869 Legal Tender's; 1890 & 1891 Treasury Notes.)

In 1929 the new small size currency was released, and although this writer has not researched small size stars, it appears that all signature combinations of the USN's SC's, & GC's had stars printed. Even the more challenging varieties as the \$1 SC Red R&S, the \$1, \$5 & \$10 Yellow Seal North Africa SC's, and the infamous mules have been found with stars. No stars were used on the Series 1929 National Currency series, individual make-up sheets were used throughout. As in the earlier large size FRN's & FRBN's, not all the signature combinations have stars reported for the various districts involved, and some may not have been printed. Some recent examples are: \$1 FRN 1963B Kansas City, 1969A Dallas, and 1969D Minneapolis did not have star notes printed, enough of a previous signature were left over and were used instead. Large denomination \$500 and \$1000 stars were used with the 1934 series FRN's, however, very few are known and once again may not have been printed for all districts involved. No 1928 series \$500 & \$1000 FRN stars have been seen.

Star notes are still currently being printed for our \$1 to \$100 notes, and probably will continue. Herb Krisak of the BEP stated to this writer at Memphis '80 that star note elimination is still a BEP goal but could not say how soon it might occur, if it ever does. Storage space certainly could be reduced, as 12 districts times the seven denominations results in a maximum of 84 different types of stars on hand for note production. Some leftover Series 1976 \$2 star notes are still in storage, and may currently be purchased from the BEP.

Star notes over the last 72 years offer an interesting challenge, but don't expect to go right out and complete a type set from 1910 to 1982, as the most complete star type collection currently known still lacks 2 star notes, each of which are currently unique and are in other collections! This writer is still doing active research on the large size star notes, so if you haven't sent me the data from your large stars, please do so. I request the type, serial, signature, face and back plate information and approximate grade. Ownership will be kept confidential as always. It is through your help that this information can eventually be published. Chuck O'Donnell has excellent star note data for small size notes in his catalogue, and Gene Hessler currently has the only catalogue that presents large star note data, with his third edition containing totals observed from this writer's research. Production figures by signature combination for star notes just do not exist for large size and early small size star notes. So the only way we will likely ever approximate what was printed is to keep reporting notes seen, eventually the serial data will allow us to know how common and how scarce some stars are. Send your large size star note data to: P.O. Box 2, Portage, MI 49081.



# SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT

## P.M.C.M. MEMBERSHIP MEETING — JUNE 19, 1982

Holiday Inn - Rivermont, Memphis, Tennessee  
Sixth Annual International Paper Money Show

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 P.M. and invocation was by President Delger.

Discussion about The Rag Picker publication being late followed.

Everyone was reminded of the upcoming election of P.M.C.M. officers, and a call for nominations was emphasized.

The need for a new editor for The Rag Picker was brought up and discussed.

The Rag Picker printer problem has been resolved and a change of printers has occurred.

Dr. Glenn Jackson was introduced as the guest speaker. His slide program was, "A Lot of Ways To Have Fun Collecting Currency". He gave an extensive background story on vignettes and star replacement plates.

The current issue of The Rag Picker was distributed to those present.

The meeting was concluded and adjourned at 3:00 P.M.

Members present were: Joseph Mikolajczyk #1767, Parchment, MI; Douglas Murray #1492, Portage, MI; Martin Delger #1551, Portage, MI; Dr. Wallace G. Lee, #1823, Pontiac, MI; Bob Hodges #1974, Chagrin Falls, OH; Frank H. Hutchins #425, Yonkers, NY; John and Nancy Wilson #2040, Milwaukee, WI; Mel and Mrs. Fishel #2077, Venice, CA; Milton R. Friedberg #2057, Cleveland, OH; Arlyn Vonk #2030, Jennison, MI; George Conrad #436, Racine, WI; Nathan Goldstein II #334, Greenville, MS; Tom Conklin #554, Rutherford, NJ; Bob Thiel #1686, Victor, NY; Mike Spielmann #1958, Dyersville IA; William F. Reulbach #195, Strongsville, OH; Jim Ritchie #1996, South Lyon, MI; Ed Richt #1842, Louisville, KY. There were ten non-members present.

Submitted by B. Joseph Mikolajczyk-Charles A. Fenwick, Secretary/Treasurer.

## MEMBERSHIP REPORT

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- # 98 Rufus COKER, Portland, TN

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## COMING EVENTS

Kalamazoo, Michigan: Nov. 7, 1982, 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Kalamazoo County Center Bldg., 2900 Lake Street; Kalamazoo Numismatic Club Annual Fall Show; Chuck Fenwick, Bourse Chairman; P.O. Box 462, Portage, Michigan 49081.



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**BIOGRAPHIES:** Only two biographies were received, probably due to the way the nomination acceptance form was worded: "Comments" should have been "Short biography". The two received are presented below.

Should any of the other above members desire to give their background for the benefit of the membership, they will be published in the next issue. Note that the Secretary/Treasurer and Editor positions are currently open. Please consider volunteering for either of these positions. You can do it.

**Al Latsom:** Coin collecting - 36 years, paper money - 14 years. Member of PMCM, MSNS, Livingston County Coin Club. Collect \$1.00 Type Certificates, and working on type set of \$5.00 notes.

**Edwin A. (Ed) Richt:** 70 years old, born in Cincinnati, OH. Owns Ed's Currency, past 9 years. (Louisville, KY.) Now serving as President of Kentucky Numismatic Assn. (1st year) of a two year term. 1st Vice Pres. 2 years and director for 2 years, also director of Louisville Coin Club many years.

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Ed has about 4 or 5 Mail Bid Auctions every year, with 750 to 900 lots, and is a retired Real Estate Broker (35 years) in Louisville. Has exhibited at many shows, including the International Paper Money show in Memphis, TN and won many 1st Place awards and 2 best of Shows at Kentucky State (All in Paper money). Ed is married to Catherine and has lived in Louisville for 49 years (less 2 years in E.T.O. WW2).